



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re of Applicant)
John B. Bornhorst et al.) Art Group: 3721
Serial No.: 09/272,417)
Filing Date: March 19, 1999)
Title: INFINITE VARIABLE SLIDE) Examiner: S. Gerrity
MOTION FOR A MECHANICAL)
POWER PRESS)

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RESPONSE

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated July 31, 2000, having a due date of October 31, 2000, which has been extended by three months by the contemporaneously filed Petition of Extension of Time, now having a due date of January 31, 2001, Applicant hereby submits the following Amendment.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Page 1, line 1 please insert before "BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION" the following paragraph:

--CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application relates to and claims the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 119 of Provisional Application Serial No. 60/079,452 filed March 26, 1998.--

IN THE CLAIMS

1. (Amended) A press, comprising:
a slide;